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SUBJECT: BRUECKMANN CASE

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1. AT OCTOBER 21 TRIPARTITE MEETING, ALLIED REPS ALL STATED AGREEMENT TO COMPROMISE SOLUTION ON KORBER ASSURANCES AS CONTAINED REFTEL B. LATEST INFORMATION IS THAT PRESIDENT SCHEEL WILL SIGN BILL INTO LAW WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 23 (BUNDESTAG APPROVED BILL, AS EXPECTED, OCTOBER 18) SO MEETING FORESEEN IN COMPROMISE SCENARIO WILL HAVE TO BE HELD WITHIN NEXT DAY OR SO. BRITISH HERE ARE SENDING GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS TO UKBER (IN CHAIR FOR OCTOBER IN BERLIN) BUT IT WAS AGREED THAT LEVEL OF MEETING AND OTHER MODALITIES ARE MATTER FOR BERLIN MISSIONS.

2. REGARDING BK/O TEXT, FRENCH REP MADE STRONG PRESENTATION REQUESTING DELETION FIRST FIVE WORDS NEW NUMBERED PARA 2 (REFTEL C) SO THAT PARA WOULD BEGIN
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"ANY DECISIONS" BOISSIEU SAID THAT PHRASE

"EXISTING SITUATION" WAS TERM OF ART IN QA AND USE HERE
WOULD POSSIBLY BE MISLEADING. MORE IMPORTANTLY, SAID
BOISSIEU, THIS PHRASE COULD BE MISINTERPRETED TO MEAN A
CONNECTION ONLY WITH THE BRUECKMANN CASE. CONSEQUENTLY,
AND SINCE BK/L COVERS POINT WE WISH TO MAKE THAT ALLIED
RESERVATIONS ARE NOT A NEW DEPARTURE, ALL REPS AGREED
TO ACCEPT THE PROPOSED DELETION. NUMBERED PARA 2 OF
BK/O THUS READS: BEGIN TEXT: ANY DECISIONS REACHED BY
THE COMPETENT AUTHORITIES UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE
LAW CITED ABOVE IN CASES ARISING IN BERLIN MAY TAKE
EFFECT IN BERLIN ONLY TO THE EXTENT THAT THEY ARE IN
ACCORDANCE WITH ALLIED ORDERS AND DIRECTIVES. SHOULD
ANY SUCH DECISIONS NOT BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH ALLIED
ORDERS AND DIRECTIVES, THE AK RESERVES ITS RIGHT TO
TAKE WHATEVER MEASURES IT DEEMS NECESSARY. END TEXT.
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